

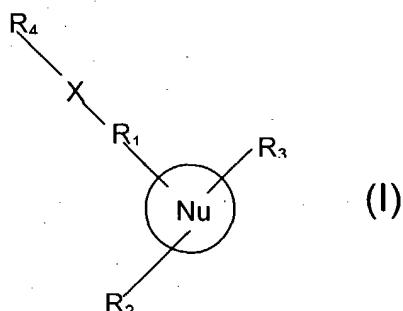
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Compounds of formula (I)



and pharmaceutically-acceptable and pharmaceutically-acceptable and -cleavable esters thereof and acid addition salts thereof, wherein the symbols are as defined are MAP kinase inhibitors, useful pharmaceutically for treating TNF α and IL-1 mediated diseases such as rheumatoid arthritis and diseases of bone metabolism, e.g. osteoporosis.